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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO AWARDING BODIES AND INTERESTED PARTIES REGARDING A CLARIFICATION TO THE DIRECTOR'S GENERAL PREVAILING WAGE DETERMINATIONS ISSUED ON FEBRUARY 22, 2005 (2005-1) FOR SUBTRADES AND SUBTRADES SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL FOR ALL COUNTIES

Due to a change in the computer program that is used to compile the General Prevailing Wage Determinations, the 2005-1 issuance of the county determinations for the subtrades and subtrades shift differential may show a half-cent (\$0.005) increase or decrease to the total hourly rate and or overtime hourly rates for some crafts/classifications in these determinations with issue dates prior to February 22, 2005. This change was made to correct an anomaly in how the program generated the total hourly rate and the overtime hourly rates.

Therefore, for projects advertised for bids on or after March 4, 2005, please use the prevailing wage rates issued in the 2005-1 county determinations (subtrades and subtrades shift differential). For projects advertised for bids prior to March 4, 2005, please refer to the superseded determinations @ http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/main.htm for your wage rates. The issue dates and expiration dates are not affected.